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<b>NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Small Entity)</b>					<b>Docket No. BBA-10002/29</b>	
In Re Application Of: <b>Baker</b>						
<b>Application No.</b> 10/821,766	<b>Filing Date</b> 04/09/2004	<b>Examiner</b> Mark Williams	<b>Customer No.</b> 25006	<b>Group Art Unit</b> 3676	<b>Confirmation No.</b> 1449	
Invention: <b>ERGONOMIC HANDLES ESPECIALLY FOR GARDEN TOOLS</b>				<b>RECEIVED</b> <b>CENTRAL FAX CENTER</b> <b>JUN 23 2006</b>		

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Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated **March 23, 2006** finally rejecting Claim(s) **20-25, 30, 31**

Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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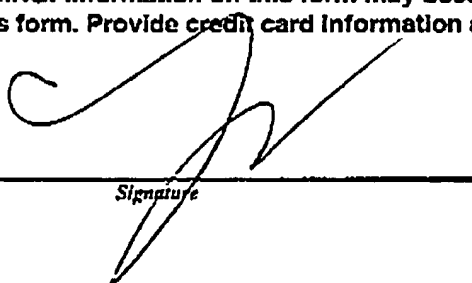
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